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CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, applicants respectfully submit that all of the pending claims are now in condition for allowance. An early notice to this effect is earnestly solicited. If there are any questions regarding the application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the number below.

Respectfully submitted,

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Versions with Markings to Show Changes Made

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 22 as follows:

22. (Amended) [A method for increasing tooth movement] An orthodontic remedy comprising administering , multiple times or continuously, [to a subject in need thereof] an [effective] amount of [a] parathyroid hormone or of a parathyroid hormone [a] derivative [thereof] that has the same biological effect as full length PTH, that results in an increase in tooth movement in a subject in need thereof.